It Is Said Mr. Manning Would Surrender His Noble Band of Filipinos With Honor

THE WEK IS DONE WESTPORT

KANSAS CITY TE NOW ONE.

LAST FORMALITIES COMPLETED

JUDGE A. M. ALLEN HONORED FOR HIS LONG SCHOOL SERVICE,

A Westport School Building Named in His Honor-Kansas City Schools Now Have an Enrollment of 27,000-This Year's School Tax Levy.

that Westport is in, will reach very close

The work of completing the annexation of the Westport district was done by for-mal resolution of the board last night. The same action was also taken concerning the annexation of district No. 9, the little Ivan-hoe district lying east of Westport, and which voted to come in at the same time Westport did, the Ivanhoe people having the Kansas City Ice and Cold gone through three different elections with the last thirty days to comply with all the legal requirements making them a part of the district of Kansas City.

With the annexation of these two districts the school district of Kansas City now embraces all the territory within the city limits, with the exception of a small

should continue to discharge its duties, as streets. agents of the Kansas City board, until the close of the schools a few days hence. So the Westport schools will continue "as though nothing had happened," with the same superintendent, teachers, etc., until commencement day and the diplomas of this year's graduates will bear the signatures of the Westport officials. The financial affairs were turned over to the finance committee of the Kansas City board and Treasurer Allen will make his settlements tornado sufferers. with this committee after the school year

Judge A. M. Allen, treasurer of the Westport board, has been an active member of the Westport pourd of education for twenlongest continuous record of any man con-nected with school affairs in the state. The Kansas City board made a graceful recognition of his long service in school affairs, last night, when it voted to re-name the main school building in Westport. This building, which is the oldest school building now in Westport, will hereafter filding now in Westport, will hereafter known as the Allen building. The board voted to secure the Lyric artette for the musical portion of the

gramme, instead of having an orchestra, as last year.

An 8-Mill Tax Levy. After a little other routine business it

voted to levy an 8-mill tax for school purposes for the ensuing year, the resolution being as follows: Resolved. That this board makes the following estimates of the amount of funds necessary, se raised by taxation for the

nsuing year, and the rate required to unts. First-Amount necessary to sustain the schools of the district for the time re-quired by law, \$476,000, and the rate of taxation required to raise said amount, sixty-eight (68) cents on the one hundred dollars (\$199), (A special levy of twenty-eight (28) cents on the hundred dollars valuation of all property subject to taxation, in addition to the forty (49) cents on the hundred dollars valuation in section II of article X, of the constitution of this state ticle X, of the constitution of this state.

dred dollars valuation in section II of ar-ticle X., of the constitution of this state, having been submitted to the qualified vot-ers of said school district, who are tax-payers of said school district, at an elec-tion held in said school district on the 5th day of April, 1888, and at which election more than a majority of the voters who are taxpayers voted in favor of such in-

"Second-Amount necessary for sinking fund to be used only for the redemption of outstanding bonds of the district, \$14,000, gregate rate of taxation required to raise said amount 2 cents on \$100. Third—Amount necessary to pay inter-on the bonds of the district, \$70,000, and

e rate of taxation required to raise said nount, 10 cents on \$100. Fourth—The aggregate of the foregoing necessary amounts is \$500,000, and the aggregate rate of taxation required to haise regate rate of taxation required to haise meh amount is 80 cents on \$100.

"Resolved, That the secretary of the card be and he is hereby directed to deliver to the county clerk a certified copy of the foregoing estimater and this resolution, in order that the said amounts may be assessed on the taxable property in the listrict, in accordance with the provisions of section \$067 of the revised statutes of dissouri.

DR. WILCOX WILL COME.

New Pastor of Grand Avenue Church Will Preach His First Sermon Sunday, May 21.

The new paster of the Grand Avenue Methodist church, Dr. C. B. Wilcox, of Three Days of Meetings in the Intermon there a week from to-morrow. Dr. Wilcox has received his transfer and ap-Wilcox has received his transfer and appointment to the Grand Avenue church and will arrive in Kansas City next week. The congregation at Grand avenue is much pleased over securing the services of one of the foremost preachers in the Methodist church. Calls had been extended to him from several of the largest churches of Eastern cities, but Dr. Wilcox finally decided to accept the pastorate of the Grand church. Those who have heard

JOBBERS ARE BUSY.

Every Line Shows an Increase in Trade Over the Same Period

J. W. Swain, local manager for Bradstreet's Kansas City branch, reports for the week that jobbers in all lines are quite busy with filling orders, with sales in adbusy with faling orders, with sales in an-vance of the same period a year ago. Re-tall trade is fair; collections good. Bank deposits show considerable increase with a good demand for money. Clearings for the week, \$12,289,302.

FINE CATTLE YEAR. FINE CATTLE YEAR. Outlook in Texas and the Territories

Was Never Brighter Than at Present.

Prospects for a great cattle year were never brighter in Oklahoma, Texas and the Indian Territory than they are now. Re-cent rains have worked wonders with pas-turage and thousands of herds of cattle are fast fattening for the market. ments from this territory to the Kansas City market bid fair to be considerably heavier than ever before.

As a result of the severe winter alarming reports have been circulated concerning the cattle situation throughout this great Southwestern territory, but cattlemen who tre almost daily passing through Kansas City from that region say such reports will not be verified if, indeed, they ever had any foundation. Bad as the indications may it is Suggested That Newspapers have been in January and February, all doubts as to the success of the feeder and puncher have been dispelled within the last six weeks or two months. Business among the ranchmen is fairly booming.

H. G. Williams, of Austin, Tex., arrived

in Kansas City yesterday after a trip over both of the territories and the Panhandle county clerk, for school purposes, an enumeration of persons of school age (between 6 and 29) of 51.459. This includes the county clerk is county. On May 2 Mr. Williams made one of the largest cattle deals recorded in recent years. He sold to G. F. Swift

perintendent Greenwood says the total en-rollment in the Kansas City schools, now plenty of rain over both of the territories unofficial and spontaneous way, should and consequently grass and water for the cattle are good. Cattle are thriving and the outlook is decidedly encouraging for the coming season. The cattlemen are very much pleased at the bright prospects held out for a prosperous year."

indicat and spontaneous way, should recognize the services of Dewey as the British nation officially recognized the services of Wellington, when it presented him with the estate of Strathfieldsay.

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WANTS TO BE OUSTED.

Storage Company.

An unusual proposition was made to the board of public works yesterday. manager of the Kansas City Ice and Cold Storage Company was before the board to see if the city could not be induced to city limits, with the exception of a small district in the East bottomss, which enjoys the distinction of being probably the wealthlest country school district in the country.

President Frank Henderson, Treasurer A. M. Allen and Secretary William J. Knepp, of the Westport district, were present at last night's meeting to represent the Westport district, when it finally became a part of Kansus City district. The situation was discussed by the members of both boards and, after annexation had been completed, it was decided that the Westport board should continue to discharge its duties, as agents of the Kansas City board, until the streets. begin suit in ejectment against his com-

CHURCHES WILL HELP.

Ministers Will Ask Their Congregations for Aid for Kirksville Tornado Sufferers.

taken in regard to alding the Kirksville prefer to put it, and the other half for his

Dr. J. O'B. Lowry, president of the alli-

Two Old Indian Traders Carried On a Shorthand Conversation in Indian Sign Language.

R. J. Newman, of Darlington, O. T., was talking to some friends in the lobby of the Savoy yesterday when he interrupted the conversation and began making some peculiar movements with his hands at another man, who likewise was gesticulating. The strange proceeding attracted some attention and it was generally supposed to be a communication in deaf and dumb alchahet. They seemed to reach an under-standing and Mr. Newman resumed the

onversation.
"That is Mr. Abernathy," said Mr. Newman, in explanation. "He is an Indian trader from Cantomment, I. T., sixty-eight miles west of where I live. We use the Indian sign language. It is a much more apid means of communicating than the The two Indian traders were here buying

goods for their stores. Mr. Abernathy will take his wife to Hot Springs for a few weeks for her health.

JEWELL DOESN'T WANT IT.

Says He Would Not Have the Office of Election Commissioner-Is Not a Candidate.

Councilman Jesse L. Jewell last night denied very emphatically he was a candidate for election commissioner. "In the first place I would not have the place if it was offered me," said he, "I am satisfied to represent the Third ward in the council and am too confirmed a Republican to attempt to secure a position through a Democrat. I have never made an attempt to enter the race for the commissionership and none of my friends has considered me in connection with it. Mr. Harris has made a good commissioner and his name should be sent in to the governor in case the bill passes, which I think is very doubtful. The only relationship existing between Fred Flemling and myself is that we are warm personal friends." it was offered me," said he, "I am satis

TEMPERANCE FORCES CONFER.

ests of Total Abstinence and Prohibition.

'In the name of Jesus Christ as King, the saloon must go." This is the declara-tion of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, the Independent Order of Good Templars and the Prohibition Club, of Kansas City, and in furtherance of this subject and to promote the cause of gospel temper-ance, total abstinence and prohibition a

ig those who will participate will Among those who will participate will be Mrs. Helen D. Harford, national organ-izer for the W. C. T. U.; Dr. J. M. O'Brien, of Chillicothe, Mo.: ev-Governor J. P. St. John, Dr. W. F. Richardson, Dr. W. P. Francisco and across the continent. George and others.

Western Arrivals in New York. NEW YORK, May 12.—(Special.) Western arrivals Kansas City-Astor house, C. C. Buffen, Broadway Central, F. M. Ethrlige: Gilsey, H. M. Jackson Kansas-St. Cloud, L. T. Hudson, Atchison, Kas.

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NEW YORK TIMES PROPOSES RAIS-ING \$250,000 FOR HIM.

ADMIRAL IN CASH.

Raise the Fund and That Sub-

scriptions Be Limited to

\$500-Dewey's Health

Is Not Good.

NEW YORK, May 12.-The New York county clerk, for school purposes, an enumeration of persons of school age (between
6 and 20) of 51.453. This includes the enumeration of 48.286 made in the entire district
on December 1, 1897, together with the 5.0
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> 'exclusive' acknowledgment of the services of an American hero to whom all Ameri-

enough to prevent any newspaper from exploiting the admiral for the pur-pose of advertising itself. And yet the At an informal meeting of the Ministerial tion of a residence for the admiral in whatever place in the United States he might

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"The president of the United States, the secretary of state and the secretary of the reasury would be appropriate custodians of the fund, and their willingness to assume its custody may be taken for

DEWFY COMING HOME AT ONCE

Orders Sent for the Olympia to Start From Manila to New York. WASHINGTON, May 12 .- "Send Olym-

pla's mail to B. F. Stevens, No. 4, Trafal-gar square, London, England," was the notice given out at the navy department This is the first formal indication to-day. that the famous flagship is coming home immediately. Upon inquiry it was ascertained that Secretary Lond had last evening cabled Admiral Dewey permission to return at once to the United States. He as been relieved of the obligation of renaining at Manila until the Philippine ommission completes its work. He is not ven required to await the cessation of hos-The notice posted at the navy departemain long enough to receive the next he navy department's agent at London to distribute all of the mail for United States warships in European waters, so he will see to it that the Olympia receives hers as soon as she passes the Suez canal. It is estimated at the navy department that Dewey will reach the United States in time for a national demonstration on the Fourth of July next. The Olympia will not come under full steam, but, nevertheless, she should make the run to New York in about fifty-five days from Manila. That she is to come to New York is nearly.

DEWEY IS NOT WELL.

ables That Condition of His Health Necessitates Rest and Quiet.

CHICAGO, May 12.-Judging from a cablegram received to-day from Admiral Dewey, his health, despite medical assurance to the centrary, is none of the best by way of the Suez canal instead of the Pacific coast route. The message is as fol-

Many thanks. Impossible to accept in-

vitation now, Condition of health neces-sitates rest and quiet. DEWEY." The cablegram was in reply to one sent by the association asking the admiral to ecome its guest upon his return to this country, and strongly urging upon him the a falling building at Lawrence yesterda; advisability of coming by way of San and so badly crushed that he cannot live

DEWEY SENATOR MASON AT HORTON. Rabid Address in Opposition

to Expanison. HORTON, KAS., May 12 .- (Special.) At

lelivered a strong political speech against expansion. He started out by saying that was not a political question and that no HALF TO BE PUT INTO A HOME party had declared for or against expan-He urged the people with all his power to vote against expansion. He said that war had never been declared against the Filipinos; that power rested solely with congress. He quoted from Lincoln the statement that, "No person is good enough to govern another without the consent of the governed," and quoted Dewey as saying that the "Filipinos were more capable of self-government than the Cubans." He said: "If it is criminal aggression to take Cuba, why would it not be criminal aggression to take the Philippines?"

He stated that the government was trying to shoot liberty into the Filipinos the same as King George attempted to shoot his liberty into the Americans with hired Hessians. The Filipinos, he said, must be either citizens or slaves; there was no middle ground, and to making them slaves the liberty leving people of this country would never give their consent. The substance of the speech was a comparison of the rebellion of the Filipinos with the Americans in their struggle for independence.

Senator Mason culoxized Grover Cleva. the Filipinos; that power rested solely with REMAINDER TO BE GIVEN TO THE

WAR ON SUNDAY NEWSPAPERS. Strong Effort Is Being Made to Put a Stop to Them in the British

Metropolis. LONDON, May 12.—A deputation including the Right Rev. Mandell Creighton, of an American hero to whom all American strong and the Right Roll of the Right Roll of the Roll of th will not do to leave him at the mercy of a group of millionaires. Evidently it will not do to exclude from the national testimonial to the admiral any American citizen who desires to bear his part in it. Why not appeal directly to the public through its immediate organs and agents—the newsparard to ed to compet of the ed to

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"As a matter of fact, we believe that of state to-night of the American Bicycle needing attention were being cared for her

MOBERLY MAN CHOSEN.

J. W. Scott Elected Department Commander of the Missouri Grand Army.

KIRKSVILLE, MO., May 12 -- At the tate encampment of the G. A. R. to-day spirited contest took place over the election of department commander. Comrades Ira Bronson, of Sedalla; J. W. Scott, of Moberly, and George Hall, of Trenton, were the principal candidates. The first were the principal candidates. The first ballot resulted in the election of J. W. Scott, of Moberly, Captain W. B. Sigler, of Kirksville, was elected senior vice commander by acclama-tion; Dr. J. D. McAdoo, medical director and Comrade Burl, chaplain.

PRAYERS FOR RAIN. They Were Said in Every Town and

Village in Roumania Yesterday. BUCHAREST, ROUMANIA, May 12 .- On

account of the long continued drouth, prayers for rain were said in every town and village in Roumania to-day. At Braila, on the lower Danube chief port of the country, all business suspended, and a procession of thousands marched to the fields of dying wheat, where supplications were offered for three hours, ladles, peasants and Gypsies kneel-ing and praying for relief from the merci-less heat of the sun.

MISSOURI MEN WIN.

Get the Decision in the Debate Between Missouri and Nebraska Universities.

LINCOLN, NEB., May 12.-The interstate Missouri universities on the question, "Resolved. That combinations of railroads are not desirable and should be prohibited by law," was awarded to Missouri for superior argument, her representatives having the affirmative side. Nebraska was given the affirmative side. Nebraska credit for the best presentation

Mr. Hobart Still Improving.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—The statemens authoritatively made that Vice Presiden dobart expects to leave the city for Long Stanch, N. J., during the last week in May. He continues to improve and to-day and moved about his room during

BRIEF BITS OF NEWS.

The name of the postoffice at Foutz, Lin-oln county, O. T., has been changed to A postoffice has been established at Stull.

C. B. Owen, a carpenter, was caught i

Hestor Rowlette, the 4-year-old daugh-er of William Rowlette, of Newland, Pet-Sixth Missonrians at Home.

ST. LOUIS, May 12.—The Sixth Missouri volunteers, raised under the president's second call, and which served several months in Cuba, returned to-day from Savannah, Ga., where that command had been mustered out recently. The men of his regiment came in on a number of trains from the Southwest, and were given a learty welcome at Union station by an enthusiastic crowd of relatives and friends.

the commencement of the Horton high TERRIBLE RAILWAY DISASTER IN PENNSYLVANIA.

PASSENGER TRAINS COLLIDE

SPECIAL RUNS INTO REAR END OF AN EXPRESS AT EXETER,

FIFTY PERSONS ARE INJURED

DISASTER OCCURRED SHORTLY BE-FORE 10 LAST NIGHT.

Special Train Was Loaded With Excursionists-Several Cars of the Express Telescoped and Occupants Ground to Pieces-Mr. Penrose Injured.

READING, PA., May 12.-Shortly before 10 o'clock to-night a collision of passenger trains occurred on the Philadelphia & Reading at Exeter station, six miles below Reading. The express train, which should have left here at 8:30 p. m. for Philadelphia. was behind schedule time in leaving and stopped at Exeter for orders. A special

contitied to transmission as such through the mails. Among them are 2.119 daily papers, which represent, most immediately and most accurately, the sentiment of the United States. Let us assume that only one-fourth part of these are in a position to act as collecting and distributing agents for a national Dewey testimonial, and that each one of these 100 is willing to pledge itself to the collection from its readers and or a national Dewey testimonial, and that each one of these 500 is willing to pledge itself to the collection from its readers and the transmission, to the appointed trustees, of the sum of \$500 for that fund.

"Surely this estimate is moderate enough, and surely the amount of each individual subscription, which must be strictly fixed and limited, is moderate enough to prevent any newspaper from

BICYCLE TRUST INCORPORATED eral E. B. Grubb were passengers in the Pullman car of the wrecked train. The aggregate of these subscriptions would be It Is Called the American Bicycle rear end of the car in which they were riding was crushed. Senator Penrose did not know how many of the passengers of TRENTON, N. J., May 12.-Articles of the rear cars were killed or injured, but needing attention were being cared for by

first car on the second train was also tele-

The identified killed are:
Leaf, Montgomery county,
William Staler, Norristown,
Colonel George Shaw, Norristown,
Chief John Sligiuff, Norristown,
John Johnson, Mount Clair,
William Lewis, Norristown,
Harry Hunchinger, Norristown,
George Sowers, Norristown,
George H. Ambls, Norristown,
Henry Wents, Norristown,
Samuel Batty, Conshocken,
Harry Thompson, Norristown,
Hiram Shelly, Hatboro, The injured, as far as the names could obtained, are:

be obtained, are:
Eddie Smith, Norristown,
Charles White, Norristown,
Nathan O'Neill, Norristown,
Luther Custer, serious, Pottstown,
John Johnson, serious, Mount Clair,
Patrick Kern, Norristown,
Pascal Walters, Swedeland,
Harry Leister, serious, Phoenixville,
L. B. Vanderslice, Phoenixville,
Theodore Addle, Norristown,
William Frederborn, Norristown,
Charles Maddls, Conshocken,
John Earl, Conshocken,
Harry Kuntz, Norristown,
David Carney, Norristown,
A. J. Ashenfelder, Norristown; hurt in
the chest.

GRAND STAND GOES DOWN.

Four Thousand People Were on It at Paris, Tex., Viewing a Fireworks Display.

PARIS, TEX., May 12.-About 9:30 o'clock -night the grandstand on which were scated 4,000 persons witnessing a display of Growerks fell with a crash. No one was killed, but a great number were injured, me probably fatally. The names of number of the injured follow:

Lon Martin, internally, probably fatally

John Fitzhugh, son of cotton merchant,

broken arm. Larkin Hunt, ex-city marshal, badly Kittle Littlejohn, colored, probably

Mrs. Mont Leavell.
Miss McCuistion.
The pyrotechnical display was the closing entertainment of the firemen's con-

The staging was overcrowded and seem

ed to give way in all parts at once, and totally collapsed. It is miraculous that none was killed.

TWENTY-TWO ARE DEAD. Tornado That Swept Over Hondo Coal Mines, in Mexico, Cansed Great

EAGLE PASS, TEX., May 12-News re elved to-day from the Hondo coal mines places the dead resulting from last night's ed. Many persons are still missing, and probably in the rulns. The Americans killed and injured are:

Loss of Life.

Killed: Lawrence McKinney. Wounded: Superintendent R. M. McKinney: Fred McKinney, oven boss: Stephen Backe, seriously, Young McKinney was buried here to-day.

A tremendous fall of hail accompanied the tornado. Many were injured by the paid them

hailstones. The mine works were not much damaged and work will be begun again in a few days.

FOUR MEN INSTANTLY KILLED Buried by a Slide of a Bank of Refuse nt a Pennsylvania Coal Brenker.

SHAMOKIN, PA., May 12.-Four men were instantly killed to-day by a slide of a portion of a large coal bank at Centralia. WAS ILL ONLY A FEW HOURS everal were badly injured. The four bodies recovered were so badly distigured that it was difficult to identify them. The accident occurred while a large number of Hungarians were screening coal in the Centralia breaker. The big bank of coal refuse towered high above when it was seen to quiver and collapse, completely burying the workmen. A rescuing force immediately started to work and succeeded in recovering the four bodies. Two Hungarians were found wedged in between piles of timber. They were badly injured. The killed are: James Ganghan, aged 25, married; John Koko, aged 28, single. Joseph Stanche, aged 32, married; John Conycck, aged 49, married. The accident occurred while a large num-

New York Central Wreek.

UTICA, N. Y., May 13.—The fast mail on the New York Central was in collision here this morning. Seven passenger cars filled with passengers caught fire, but the flames Roswell P. Flower died to-night at 10:30 at

PROMINENT NEW YORK POLITICIAN EXPIRES SUDDENLY.

ACUTE INDIGESTION FOLLOWED BY HEART FAILURE.

Served Two Terms in Congress-Beaten for Nomination for Governor by Grover Cleveland, but Was Elected to That Office Later.



THE LATE ROSWELL P. FLOWER.

HISSES FOR THE NASHVILLE. heart failure supervened, and he grew

Causing Considerable III

Feeling. ST. LOUIS, May 12.-Despite the rainy weather 10,000 people inspected the Nash the passengers on the steamboat, realizing they were not to be allowed to board the gunboat, hissed the Nashville and her officers. After further parley, the steam-

officers. After further parley, the steampassengers landed. The officers and men of the Nashville are this morning when he arrived at Eastport the busy attending receptions. The Nashville are where he intended to remain until Monday. The officers and men of the Nashville hept busy attending receptions.

The first fatality incident to the Nashville's visit occurred to-day. John Moffatt and Joseph Lawton, Jr., rowed out to the gunboat in a skiff. The swell from a passor steamer overturned the boat and senger steamer overturned the boat and Moffatt was drowned in full view of the people aboard the Nashville. Lawton caught a rope thrown him and was res-

MUST ATTEND TO BUSINESS.

Postmaster General Smith Sends a Pointed Notice to Postmasters. WASHINGTON, May 12-Postmaster

General Emory Smith has issued the following general order: "Postmasters at presidential postoffices are required to give their personal atten-tion to the business of their offices and

must not absent themselves therefrom for must not absent themselves therefrom for a longer period than one or two days with-out authority granted upon written appli-cation to the department. A violation of this order will be deemed sufficient cause for removal."

Postmasters in some cities have been leaving much of the actual administration of their offices to their assistants.

MINERS' UNION SUED. Indian Territory Coal Operators Ask

\$10,000 for Breach of

Contract. SOUTH M'ALESTER, I. T., May 11.-(Special.) The Mine Workers' union has en sued by Perry Bros., of Coalgate, L. T., for \$10,000 for breach of contract. Perry Bros, claim that when the striking miners quit work they broke the contract entered into when the scale was signed. The case will be tried in the federal court at Atoka. Certain coal companies have made application to the United States Indian agent to have the striking miners expelled from the Indian Territory. The matter has been reterred to the secretary of the Interior for his decision, which will be watched for with much interest, as it will affect hundreds of miners now living in the territory.

Bricklayers Threaten to Strike.

NEW YORK, May 12—A strike is threatened by the Bricklayers' union of this stity, who demand a cents an hour instead of 50, their present pay. The union has 7,000 members. Efforts are being made to settle the matter without a strike.

Strikers Use Dynamite Again.

DULUTH, MINN., May 12—The street rallway strikers to-night dynamited a car and fired several shots at non-union motormen. A large force of policemen is on the way to quell the disturbance.

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Italians Lose Their Strike. NEW YORK, May 12.-The strike of 1,300

Italians at work in the Jerome park reservoir ended to-day, all but about 100 of the men going back to work. No concess Three Hundred Girls Strike.

LAWRENCE, MASS., May 12-Nearly 200 girls employed in the mending room of the Washington mills quit work to-day on account of dissatisfaction with the wages

were quickly extinguished. As far as the Eastport Country Club, at Eastport, known, but one man. Barry Neal, of Buffalo, was fatally injured.

the Eastport Country Club, at Eastport, L. I. Mr. Flower was taken ill early in the day with a severe attack of acute inthe day with a severe attack of acute in-Presence of Gunboat at St. Louis Is The attack of heart failure was accompanied by a fainting spell, and Mr. Flow-er's family in New York city were quickly notified. Mrs. Flower and the former govcompanied by Dr. Thomas Allen, Mr. Flower's physician, left at once on a special train for Eastport. rived there Mr. Flower had somewhat recovered, but to-night the attack of heart failure was marked, and Mr. Flower be-

came unconscious an hour or more At the clubhouse all the reports early in the evening regarding Mr. Flower's serious illness were emphatically denied, though at that time it was not believed

that he would recover. Mr. Flower has been a sufferer from gastritis for a long time with every now and then an acute attack. For a month or two past he has been a regular visitor at the Eastport Country Club in the hope that he would find some relief in the outing. He appeared in robust health yesterday, and his health was apparently excellent. The attack from which he suffered to-day came on suddenly and was of a more severe type at the outset than any he had previously suffered from.

Roswell Pettibone Flower was born at Theresa, Jefferson county, N. Y., August 17, 1825. He was educated in the country listrict schools, and before he had passed from youth to manhood he clerked in a country store, worked in a brickyard farmed and taught school. For a time he was a clerk in the Watertown postoffice and then engaged, in a small way, in the jewelry and brokerage business. he removed to New York, and in 1881 he was elected to the unexpired term in the house of representatives, vice Levi P. Morton, who rsigned to accept the portfolio of minister to France. He was re-elected to the Forty-seventh

district of New York, defeating Waldorf In 1882 he was favored by many as a candidate for governor of the state of New York, and was a candidate for the high office at the convention held in Syracuse; the honors of the nomination were, however, carried off by Grover Cleveland, Later on his name was also mentioned for the presidential nomination by the Democratic

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In 1888 the nomination for Heutenant gov he was compelled to decline the honor for again returned to congress. In June, 1891,

than \$3,000,000.

Mr. Flower was one of the founders of the Federal steet trust, whose stock pl-Str. Flower was one of the founders of the Federal steet trust, whose stock al-ready issued is \$59.75.80. Good authorities estimate that Mr. Flower's profits in the last eighteen months in Wall street have exceeded \$60.00,000. He has become in that time the acknowledged speculative leader in the financial markets of the United States.

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Mr. Flower married Sarah Woodruff, a daughter of Morris M. Woodruff, of Watertown, in 1853. Three children were born, of whom only one survives. Emma Gertrude, who is the wife of John B. Taylor, Mr. Flower has been for years one of the wardens of St. Thomas' Episcopal church of the savenue.